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Dear Yvonne:

Subject: Follow-up request for your immediate confirmation that the Voluntary Preliminary Amendment I material (12 pages) dated May 24, 2002, APPN # 10/144616, GAU 2681, I faxed to your attention on 7/18/02 was in fact placed into my application file.

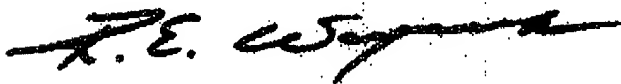
Dear Yvonne:

I received your faxed response on 08/07/02 confirming your receipt of (12) faxed pages you received from this inventor on 7/18/02. I, however, did not receive confirmation that the Amendment I material I faxed to your attention at your request was in fact placed into my application file 10/144616.

PLEASE FAX ME AT MY HOME RESIDENCE, 210-647-1569, CONFIRMING THE VOLUNTARY PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT I MATERIAL DATED MAY 24, 2002 FAXED TO YOUR ATTENTION WAS IN FACT PLACED IN MY APPLICATION FILE.

THIS IS EXTREMELY IMPORTANT TO THIS INVENTOR AND ESSENTIAL FOR MY INVENTION RECORDS.

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Sincerely,

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